

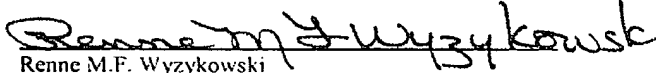
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Applicant : Zhi-Li Zhang, et al. Confirmation No. 2533
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WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 510	\$ 1020	\$
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WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$1080	\$2160	\$

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account.

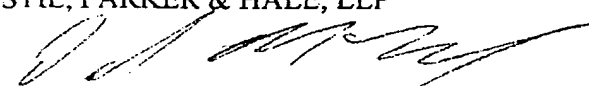
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